



Editorial

We are pleased to launch the second issue of Northwestern Medical Journal for 2023. As seen by the elevated visibility and growing popularity of our publication, we are appreciative of the continuous support of our authors and readers.

This issue's 7 original papers address a variety of hot, trending, and modern subjects. The impact of cartilage tympanoplasty on compliance and hearing outcomes was examined by Bozdemir et al. Yoldaş et al. discussed their experiences treating kids with multisystem inflammatory syndrome and Familial Mediterranean Fever. In healthy young people, Taşkın Şenol et al. investigated the connection between body mass index and the pronation response of the foot. Young men with breast lumps were the subjects of an ultrasonographic study by Günbey Karabekmez et al. The relationship between balance, posture and speech capabilities in stroke patients was examined by Arslan et al. The effect of iodized contrast materials used in computed tomography examination on kidney apparent diffusion coefficient value was examined by Gür Özcan et al. In ankylosing spondylitis with pure axial involvement, Atalar et al. investigated whether blood 14-3-3 ETA levels could be a possible indicator for disease activity.

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Sincerely yours,
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Editor-in-chief